

Interagency Human Trafficking Task Force Timeline

Meeting Date	Tenet	Subcommittee
June 2012	(v) examine ways to curtail the demand side of trafficking such as self-sustaining first offender diversion programs;	Demand
	(iii) identify and review the existing services and facilities that meet the needs of victims of human trafficking including, but not limited to, health and mental health services, housing, education and job training, legal services and victim compensation	Victim Services
September 2012	(ix) recommend ways to develop and promulgate educational materials and health curricula that may be used by school administrators and educators to identify human trafficking victims and the appropriate actions to be undertaken when such victims are identified and to educate school officials as to the scope and magnitude of human trafficking in the nation and the commonwealth including, but not limited to, how to prevent it and developing a parent guide and teacher training material on internet safety and methods of preventing the exploitation of minors over the internet;	Education and Training
	(ii) review and recommend policies and procedures to enable state government to work with non-governmental organizations and other elements of civil society to prevent human trafficking and to protect and provide assistance to victims of trafficking;	Data Collection and Sharing
November 2012	(iv) ... and offer recommendations for programs and educational and training opportunities for law enforcement and social service providers including, but not limited to, methods used to identify human trafficking victims including preliminary interviewing and questioning techniques, methods of protecting the special needs of women and child human trafficking victims, developments in state and federal laws regarding human trafficking	Education and Training
	(vii) examine cost-effective notices, announcements or advertisements that may be displayed in public places, such as airports, train stations, bus stations, hotels, massage parlors, spas, strip clubs and other sexually-	Public Awareness

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	oriented businesses providing information relating to services for human trafficking victims;	
	(vi) examine the costs associated with establishing a safe house pilot program for adult and child victims of human trafficking and identify public and private funding sources that may be used to develop and implement a safe house pilot program;	Victim Services
January 2013	(viii) recommending strategy and relevant methodologies for training providers in health and human services in the recognition of signs and circumstances indicating that an individual is the victim of human trafficking and the appropriate steps to report the individual to the appropriate law enforcement personnel or agencies;	Education and Training
March 2013	(i) coordinating the collection and sharing of human trafficking data among government agencies ; provided, however, that such data collection shall respect the privacy of victims of human trafficking; coordinate strategies and make recommendations for law enforcement to share information for the purposes of detecting individuals and groups engaged in human trafficking;	Data Collection and Sharing
	(iv) evaluating approaches to increase public awareness of human trafficking	Public Awareness
May 2013	All recommendations due	
July 2013	Report due to legislature	